

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Jaap Herman Van't Hoff                      Art Unit : 3753  
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Title : PRESSURE CONTROL DEVICE FOR MAINTAINING A CONSTANT  
              PREDETERMINED PRESSURE IN A CONTAINER

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AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO ACTION OF MAY 16, 2008

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: